



Missouri inmate does not have a constitutionally protected liberty interest in the possibility of parole). Finally, because plaintiff is attacking the validity of his continued confinement, his claim can only be properly pursued through a federal habeas action after exhausting state remedies. *Id.* at 644-45.

Inmates who file an appeal with the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit are required to pay the full \$255.00 appellate filing fee, regardless of the outcome of the appeal. *Henderson v. Norris*, 129 F.3d 481, 484 (8th Cir. 1997). The filing of a notice of appeal is considered a consent by the inmate to allow prison officials to deduct an initial partial appellate filing fee and later installments from the prisoner's account.

On June 8, 2005, the court granted plaintiff leave to proceed in forma pauperis on a provisional basis, and by doing so, the court determined to forego the collection of the \$250.00 filing fee established for civil cases. Plaintiff was warned that the court would collect the entire \$250.00 filing fee if he filed another pleading in this case. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 1915(b)(2) (provisions for deducting money from prisoner's account). A review of plaintiff's financial documentation indicates that he is capable of paying an initial partial filing fee of \$6.00.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that plaintiff's initial partial filing fee is calculated at \$6.00 and the Missouri Department of Corrections is directed to deduct from plaintiff's inmate account, and forward to the court, the initial partial filing fee and installment payments, in accord with the provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 1915, until the \$250.00 filing fee is paid in full. It is further

ORDERED that plaintiff's claims are dismissed, pursuant to the provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 1915A, for failure to state a claim on which relief may be granted.

/s/ \_\_\_\_\_

NANETTE K. LAUGHREY  
United States District Judge

Dated: August 4, 2005  
Jefferson City, Missouri